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CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT
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Dale G. Snyder
Absolute Mining & Minerals, LLC
145 South 1350 East
Lehi, Utah 84043

Re: Operator Appeal of Notice of Agency Action, Division Order - Venue and Agenda for Requested Informal Hearing, Absolute Mining and Minerals, LLC (AMMI), Dolores River Placer Operation S/019/035, Grand County, Utah

Dear Mr. Snyder:

Your letter requesting an appeal to the Notice of Agency Action was received by the Division on October 15, 1999. In response to your request, we have scheduled an Informal Hearing before the Division Director and Associate Director at 10:00 a.m., Friday, November 5, 1999, at the Division of Oil Gas and Mining offices located at 1594 West North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah. The informal hearing will be held on the first floor of the Natural Resources building, in the Division Offices. Please come to the Division reception area and you will be shown to Conference Room A.

Please be prepared to discuss your position for each of the Findings of Non-Compliance described in the Notice of Agency Action at the hearing. You do not need to be represented by legal counsel at this informal hearing. If the proposed hearing date is unacceptable, please contact Ms. Tiffini Moss, Administrative Secretary, as soon as possible at (801) 538-5304 to reschedule.

Sincerely,

Mary Ann Wright
Associate Director, Mining

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cc: Bill Stringer, Moab BLM FO
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